

BUSINESS REPORT

**MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

Date: Thursday, January 29, 2009
Place: Capitol

Time: 3:00 pm
Room: 102

BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Add Postponed (PP) when appropriate:


HB 141, SB 2, SB 29

EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Enter P(pass) F(failed) DPAA (do pass as amended) BC(be concurred in) BCAA (be concurred in as amended):

· HB 141 Tabled	· HB 104 P	· HJ 8 DPAA
· HB 41 P	· HB 157 DPAA	· SB 29 BC
· HB 91 Tabled	· HJ 12 P	Rep. Hiner
· HB 64 Tabled	· SB 2 BC	
	Rep. Villa	

COMMENTS:



REP. Jon C. Sesso, Chairman

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Roll Call
APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

DATE: 1/29/09

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT/ EXCUSED</u>
Rep. Hiner	X	
Rep. McNutt	X	
Rep. Villa	X	
Rep. Roberts	X	
Rep. Henry	X	
Rep. Steenson	X	
Rep. Nooney	X	
Rep. McChesney	X	
Rep. Getz	X	
Rep. Hawk	X	
Rep. Kasten	X	
Rep. Morgan	X	
Rep. Hollandsworth	X	
Rep. Ankney	X	
Rep. Pease-Lopez	X	
Rep. Hollenbaugh	X	
Rep. Mehlhoff	X	
Rep. Jones	X	

Rep. Glaser	X
Chairman Sesso	X



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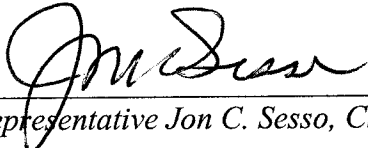
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Bill 157** (first reading copy – white) **do pass as amended.**

Signed: _____


Representative Jon C. Sesso, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Page 2, line 6.

Strike: "or"

Following: line 6

Insert: "(c) parental preference; or"

Renumber: subsequent subsection

2. Page 2, line 12.

Strike: "may"

Insert: "shall"

3. Page 2, line 22.

Strike: "\$1,307,660"

Insert: "\$900,989"

4. Page 2, line 23.

Strike: "\$3,103,944"

Insert: "\$1,702,418"

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 17, No 3

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Joint Resolution 12** (first reading copy – white) **do pass**.

Signed: _____

Jon C. Sesso
Representative Jon C. Sesso, Chair

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 16, No 4

Fiscal Note Required ____

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Joint Resolution 8** (first reading copy – white) **do pass as amended.**

Signed: _____

Jon C. Sesso
Representative Jon C. Sesso, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, page 1, lines 5 and 6.

Following: "MONTANA"

Strike: "EXPANDING" through "OFFICES OF" on line 6

Insert: "ENDORSING THE OPPORTUNITY PROVIDED BY RICHLAND COUNTY TO
CREATE A COMBINED FACILITY FOR"

2. Title, page 1, line 6.

Following: "EXTENSION OFFICE"

Strike: "WITH"

Insert: "AND THE MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY MONTANA AGRICULTURAL
EXPERIMENT STATION AT"

3. Title, page 1, line 7.

Following: "CENTER"

Insert: ", SIDNEY, MONTANA"

4. Page 1, line 9.

Strike: line 9 through line 14

Insert: "WHEREAS, the 60th Legislature provided long-range
building program appropriations and authorizations to the
Montana Agricultural Experiment Station (MAES) for statewide
facility improvements, including the MAES Eastern
Agricultural Research Center; and

WHEREAS, the Richland County Commissioners have concluded
that the local community and the region would be best served by
joining the functions and facilities of the Richland County
Extension Office with the MAES Eastern Agricultural Research

Committee Vote:

Yes 19, No 1

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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Center; and

WHEREAS, the State of Montana can provide a land lease to Richland County through existing authorities and procedures with the Montana Board of Regents or the State Land Board, or both; and

WHEREAS, the Richland County Commissioners have agreed to provide all financial resources necessary to fund the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Richland County Extension Service, including offices, support rooms, a large meeting room, and shared lobby space, connected to the research facility."

5. Page 1, line 18.

Strike: line 18 through line 20

Insert: "(1) That the combined MAES Eastern Agricultural Research Center and Richland County Extension Office would serve to provide enhanced efficiencies and improved research and education opportunities for eastern Montana and the citizens of Montana; and"

- END -



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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **Senate Bill 29** (third reading copy – blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed: _____

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Representative Jon C. Sesso, Chair

To be carried by Representative Cynthia Hiner

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 20, No 0

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **Senate Bill 2** (third reading copy – blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed: _____

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Representative Jon C. Sesso, Chair

To be carried by Representative Dan Villa

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 20, No 0

Fiscal Note Required ____

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Bill 104** (first reading copy – white) **do pass**.

Signed: _____

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Representative Jon C. Sesso, Chair

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 20, No 0

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Bill 41** (first reading copy – white) **do pass**.

Signed: _____

Jon C. Sesso
Representative Jon C. Sesso, Chair

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 20, No 0

Fiscal Note Required ____

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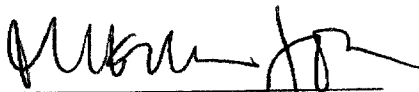
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TABLED BILL

The **HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE** TABLED **HB 64, HB 91, HB 141**, by motion, on
Thursday, January 29, 2009.

(For the Committee)



(Chief Clerk of the House)

_____, 2/2
(Time) (Date)

February 2, 2009

Sam P. Speerschneider, Secretary

Phone: 406-207-7465

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Roll Call Vote
APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

DATE 1/29/09 BILL NO. HJ 12 MOTION NO. ~~HS 157~~
MOTION: _____

NAME	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Rep. Hiner	X		
Rep. McNitt		X	
Rep. Vills	X		
Rep. Roberts		X	
Rep. Henry	X		
Rep. Steenson	X		
Rep. Nooney	X		
Rep. McChesney	X		
Rep. Getz	X		
Rep. Hawk	X		
Rep. Kasten		X	
Rep. Morgan		X	
Rep. Hollandsworth	X		
Rep. Ankney	X		
Rep. Pease-Lopez	X		
Rep. Hollenbaugh	X		
Rep. Mehlhoff	X		
Rep. Jones	X		
Rep. Glaser	X		
Chairman Sesso	X		

AUTHORIZED COMMITTEE PROXY

I request to be excused from the Appropriations

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Rep. McNott

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT AYE NO

HB - 91 Telel	✓	
HB - 64 Do Pass	✓	

BILL/AMENDMENT AYE NO

Rep. [Signature]
(Signature)

Date _____

**AUTHORIZED
COMMITTEE PROXY**

I request to be excused from the Approps. Committee

Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Cindy Hiner

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT

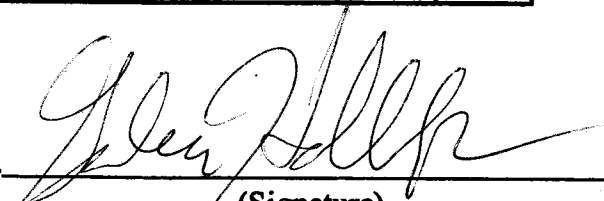
AYE NO

HB 91 Table	✓	

BILL/AMENDMENT

AYE NO

Rep.


(Signature)

Date

1.29.09.

**Montana House of Representatives
Visitors Register**

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

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Bill No. HB 141

- Sponsor(s) Rep. Franke Wilmer

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Name and Address	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inf.
<i>Ellen</i>	<i>Gov</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Please leave prepared testimony with Secretary. Witness Statement forms are available if you care to submit written testimony.